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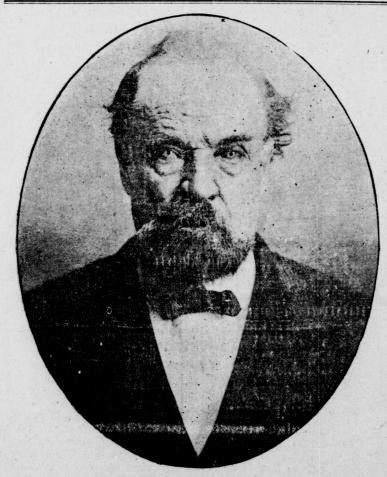


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us by his courtesy and affabilit y ter deeds. that his memory will ever be cherished in our hearts.

born in 1832, near Mt. Vernon an efficient and earnest companion, Kentucky, where he had lived near a devoted adherent of Freemasonry ly all his life. He was exaulted to a faithful friend whose daily lite so the August degree of a Royal Arch clearly reflected the fundamental Mason in the year 1866, at Stan-truths and tenets of our fraternity. for Fremont in '56." In many of Mt. Vernon Chapler No. 140, deeply and affectunately sympathize

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. R. A. M. organized in Mt. Vernon, Ky., in the year 1900, and was the first King of this Chapter; and since that time filled many of At a regular convocation of Mt. its important offices; therefore, be it

Vernon Chapter No. 140 R : A. ! RESOLVED, That in this be-M.: the following resolutions were reavement this Chapter is deprived of an active and painstaking mem-WHEREAS. The Grand Master ber who was thoroughly imbued of the Universe having been pleased with the precepts and principles of to call from earthly labor to eter- our order; who invinced in a life nal refreshments our beloved broth marked by integrity and uprighter Willis Griffin, on the 30th, day ness the cardinal Masonic virtues, of Oct. 1907, who during the long and presented not only to his comperiod that he was a member of panions but to the community an this chapter so endeared himself to example and an inspiration to bet-

do in humble submission to the Companion Willis Griffin was Divine will, we mourn the loss of

with his afflicted family, relatives campaigns he has been prominent minding them that He who tem- law in the latter's race for the gov

our deceased companion and spread then hopelessly democratic, and in full upon the minutes of our succeeded in cutting down the VERNON SIGNAL.

convocation. This Nov. 11, 1907.

S. C Franklin, M. C. Owens, Com. George R. Reams,) AUGUSTUS E. WILSON.

Augustus E. Wilson, Kentucky's republican governor-elect, was born in Maysville, Oct. 13, 1847. He is a son of the late Hiram Wilson and Ann Colvin Ennis. Both parents were of New England origin, the National Convention of 1884, 1888, father having been born in Wind- 1892 and 1904. He is the firs sor, Vt., and the mother in West- Harvard governor of Kentucky. erly, R. I. They settled in Mays- Louisville Herald. ville in the "30s." Mr. Willson is a graduate of the university and lan's law partner and was associated Sold by Chas. C. Davis. with him in many prominent legal cases. Since Justice Harlan has

Paul Jones building.

been in Washington Mr. Willson has practiced almost exclusively in the United States court. Recently he formed a law partnership with Judge William G. Dearing and Auther E. Hopkins. The firm occupies a suite of handsome offices on the seventh floor of the new

Mr Wilson has always been an earnest republican, as he said in his campaign speeches, "I hollard ford, Ky. Was a charter member RESOLVED, That we sincerely, Kentucky and national political piles. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

and friends in their sorrow, re- He took the stump for Judge Haipers the wind to the shorn lamb ernorship and years later in the looks down with infinite compas- Harrison, McKinley and Roosevelt sion upon them in the hour of des- political campaigns. He was nominated and defeated three times for RESOLVED, That a copy of these Congress in the Louisville district resolutions be sent to the family of in the years 1884, 1888 and 1902. Chapter, and published in the MT. democratic majority each time. It 1886 he was nominated for Con-Ordered done at a regular stated gress and was elected by a majority of 67 votes, but was counted out by a change of ballots in one precinct in the 10th ward and at Fisherville, which gave his opponent a majority

> In 1887 Mr. Wilson married Mis Mary Ekin, daughter of Gen James A. Ekin, of Louisville, Mr and Mrs. Wilson have no children one a boy, having died in infance Mr. Wilson was a delegate to the

There is nothing better for received his early education in the stomache troubles than Kodol Alfred Academy in Western New which contains the same juices as York and after a preparatory course found in a healthy stomach. Ko entered Harvard University. He DOL is offered on a guaranteed plan for the relief of heart burn, flatul of Harvard Law School, class of nausea, and all stomach troubles ence, sour stomach, belching gas, '69. Immediately after leaving So at times when you don't feel college he came to Louisville and just right, when you are drowsy entered the law office of Judge John after meals, and your head aches or M. Harlan, now Justice of the Suyou are cross and irritable. take a preme Court of the United States. | you are cross and irritable, take a little KODOL. It digests what you young men, is the drinking of liqu-For many years he was Judge Har- eat. It will make you healthy.

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QUAIL.

Eld. J. L. Davis filled his regular appointment at Providence Sunday and a large crowd was present.-The singing school at Providence is progressing nicely with a Mr. Colon as teacher.-The residence of . W. Proctor was burned Sunday night last. There was scarcely mything saved, with no insurance. Loss about \$1,000.-Mrs. Martin Owens still remains very feeble. -Mrs. A. L. Stringer, who has een very sick, |remains about as usual.-Mrs. G. W. Parsons still remains in very poor health.-E. A. Herrin continues about the same. - William Owens and Jacob Elder will teach a singing school at Livingston.-H. G. Sutton has added to his house a new coat of paint .- Mrs. J. F. Watson, of Brodhead, is attending the bedside

of her mother, Mrs. Martin Owens. -Elmer Scott and Mr. Logsdon have returned from Indiana. Mr. ogsdon reports a pleasant trip to the West -Corn gathering is the order of the day.

THE GREATEST DANGER.

very gravest of the dangers that eset young men who aim at suc cess in business is the habit of intoxicating liquors. He says in his wealth. book, "The Empire of Business:"

"The first and most seductive peril, and the destroyer of most or. I am no temperance lecturer in disguise, but a man who knows and tells you what observation has boro have signed a request to proved to him; and I say to you that you are more likely to fail in your career from acquiring the It is stated in the request that cur- habit of dringing liquor than from rency to make settlements cannot any or all of the other temptations be obtained before that date. It is likely to assail you. You may thought that this move will put an vield to almost any other temptaend to the trouble that has been tion, and reform—may brace up, brewing and giving the factions a and, if not recover lost ground, at thouroughly cleuses—and is heal or escape is almost impossible. I this call. ing and smoothing. Good for have known but few excetions to

PROUD OF CROPS.

The question is asked by a Chicago Newspaper, Why not be proud the American Book Company, of the great crops that are being just issued, is a book containing raised this year on the farms? Of the best prose and political writcourse the farmers are proud of ings of Oliver Goldsmith-"The their crops, and, the tradesmen Vicar of Wakefield" and "The are proud of them; and the mer- Deserted Village." chants rejoice and the manufactur- This volume is one of a series of ers are glad. Proud of the great English Classics published by the crops? Certainly. It is strange American Book Company and dethat one should ask such a ques- signed for students of English, and

year. They will surpass those of longer considered sufficient for pu-1906 by several millions in value, pils to read the fragments of litera-And the crop of last year was no small one—certainly not one to be

try where such great varied and course in English. It is conceded valuable crops are produced as on that a language is best acquired by the American farms. Markets are means of its literature, and by near every acre of this land. The studying complete productions railroads absorb the surplus and rather than abridged selections. transport it the market centers of In no other way can the cumulative the country or the world. And culture and living experience of that which is left behind will not the race of the race be brought inbe sold for a cent less than what it to the conscousness of the new gencould be sold for farther away; or, eration and impress upon the charputting it in another way, nothing acter of the young the currents of will be shipped away for less than thought that have constantly According to Mr. Carnegie, the it will bring at 'home. In other moved forward men's ideals and words good prices prevail every- influenced their lives, their deeds where. The good crop means an and their accomplishments We abundance of distributed new commend this volume of gateway

> is in the sausage or canned mince morseless in its incessant calls uppie has not yet subsided. A lot of on even our leisure hours. The people who have had spasms over art of making haste slowly has been the packing house revelations lost in the bustling turmoil, and might not feel so touchy about the nothing equivalent has been gain. subject if the limelin could shed a ed. Still, we may if we wish-the few rays into their own kitchens. busiest of us-make for ourselves But one's own slack ways are not tiny oases in the desert of labornear so censurable as those the green resting places where we may other fellow isguilty of.

Having sold my stock of good at Orlando, all parties owing ac of the Filipino insurgents, was a counts to me must call and settle guest at the functions given in same at once, either by cash or honor of Secretary of War Taft at least remain in the race, and secure note. I must wind up the busi- Manila. He expressed his belief and maintain a respectable position. ness and you will do me a great that the Secretary's visit would be But from the insane thurst for liqu- favor by responding promptly to productive of much good.

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great publications may defeat the Democratic nominee for the U. S Senate but the aspect presented by them in attempting to thwart the ually high valuation of farm lands. will of the Democracy is anything but creditable."-Interior Journal. "Consistency thou art a jewel" Brer. Walton, but we are led to believe that the loyalty which our Lincoln county friend, has all along the line, displayed toward Gov. Beckham is not the result of a personal sincerity characterized to command the applause of an ad miring people.

TER fifth trial of Caleb Powers is now on at Georgetown, and it is certainly to be hoped that this will tarmers for taxation, only that given tional Tax association. Delegate be the last. If Powers is innocent in by countles having no town larger let him go free, and if he is guilty, than the sixth class is included, and by the governors of all the states, and let him have his just reward in a small percentage of this character proportion to the crime committed having larger towns and yet distinctly But whatever the result may be, agricultural. The figures probably we do hope that the end is close at are under, rather than over the mark. hand and the question of guilt or innocence of Caleb Powers, no longer a disturbing influence among

Our Tax System Has Increased His Burden.

Figures That Show Farm Property Pays More Than Its Fair Proportion of State Revenue.

When the last constitutional convention in Kentucky drew up the present organic law of the state, it found existing throughout the state a general feeling of dissatisfaction, because through the faulty administration of the old revenue law one exemption after another had crept in until the old system was full of inequalities. The contention desired to perfect a tax system which, it believed, would secure absolute uniformity in the burden of taxes. It, therefore, inserted in the constitution section 171, which says that taxes shall be uniform upon an classes of property within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax. This was done in the belief that uniformity of method would produce a uniformity of result and of bur-

It was urged in behalf of this proposed section that it was demanded in justice to the farmer, in order that, since his property was of a visible and tangible nature and could not escape assessment, all other property should be put in the same boat.

No one ever disputed that this ought to be done. The only dispute was as to whether or not it could be done by this method. It was contended that certain classes of property, which were of a kind that could be concealed, would escape assessment and taxation if the burden of taxation put upon them was too heavy, and that the result would be that the real estate and such visible personal property as the farmer's live stock and the merchant's goods and the householder's furniture would bear an undue proportion of the burden of rais-

But the general property tax was imbedded in our constitution, and we have been trying it harder than ever for the sixteen years that have elapsed since the constitution was adopted, and it has proved anythin: but uniform and has not served to distribute the burden of taxation equally. Under this system, a great deal of property in our cities escapes taxation. In spite of the activity of auditor's agents, much of it is not brought to light. The consequence of this is that an unfair burden of the support of the state falls upon those who cwn property that can not be hidden away, and these people are

chiefly the farmers. The farmer pays more tax on personal property in proportion to real estate than does the city man under the present system. In the five counties in the state which contain all the cities of the first and second classes -Jefferson, Kenton, Campbell, Fayette and McCracken, the assessed personality is 20 per cent of the total assessment. In the rest of the state it 4s 24 per cent of the total assessment.

all the personalty.

The amount of money, bonds, ac-7 per cent of their total assessment. doubled taxation. In the rest of the state the amount of such property asssessed is nearly 11

ment. In Kenton county, containing be taxed for local purposes only. the city of Covington, personalty is of wealth unusual in any agricultural city and country.

On the other hand, take the following counties, which are distinctly agricultural, and note how much larger the percentage of personalty than in the strictly urban counties: Garrard county 25 per cent

Allen county 26 "THE Mt. Vernon Signal has Marion county 30.5 per cent joined the Courier-Journal in its Adair county 31 per cent Knott county 33.6 per cent fight on Gov. Beckham. These Monroe county 36 per cent Through the entire state the rule generally holds and where the contrast is not so marked, the exceptions

> Who Pays the Freight? There is still another way of asceraining that the present system does ot make things easier for the farmer For the year 1906 the assessment of

will generally be found due to unus-

1	the state divides itself as follows	5:
	Per	Cen
	Farm lands	43
	Farmer's personalty (live stock,	
1	implements, etc.)	7.
	Moneys, etc., assessed to farmers	2.4
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1	Total for farmers	52.
	Town lots	32.
1	Town personalty	14.
	Total town property	

In arriving at the percentage of

Farm property, therefore, by a conservative estimate pays nearly 53 per cent of the state taxes exclusive of franchise taxes, while town property per cent is paid by farm lands, 34 per cent by town lots, about 91/2 per cent by money and securities, about 71/2 per cent by live stock and farmer's implements, etc., and 6 per cent by tucky farmer realized that the present any other state in this question and system bears heavily upon him.

The tax commission of the state of California has this to say about the operation of the general property tax on farmers in that state:

"The taxes paid by farmers in Callfornia are equivalent to an income tax to many other industries; for example, the taxes paid by manufacturers, which amount only to 2 per cent on income. The persons engaged in agriculture, with an average yearly income of about \$500, pay \$50 per capita per annum in taxes. The persons engaged in manufactures, with an average annual income of \$870, pay \$17.50 per capita per annum."

The California system here denounced is the same that we have in Kentucky, and from which the legislature can afford us no relief without a change of the constitution.

FARMERS IN MANY STATES \$ WANT RELIEF FROM UN-FAIR TAXATION.

Constitutional amendments are being given thorough attention by farmers of the country. In Ohio, Hon. F. A. Derthick, master of the State permit of classification of the sources of tax revenue, said:

"There is a common ground upon which we can all stand. We must have in increasing amount of revenue. and that means a more just return of the property in the state. Where is the injustice of laying a reasonable tax on the deposits reported by the banks of the state, the same to be charged to depositors? True, not al' depositors are residents of Ohio, but they enjoy the protection of our laws and in large measure draw their interest from our people.

"This could, at least, be done with resident depositors and they would be relieved from the temptation to commit the crime of perjury." .

The Kentucky Grange. The Kentucky State Grange had this same subject before it at the meeting held in Frankfort October 21 to 23, 1907. Mr. F. P. Wolcott, Master of the State Grange, discussed the question in a very interesting manner, as

"The order has been most active in behalf of the just regulation of taxation, recognizing that the farmer is losing more from our present system and has more to gain from the establishment of a just and equitable system of taxation than has any other class of citizens. The order in representing the agricultural class, always endeavors to be fair and honorable with all other interests, and has the right to demand like treatment in return. In nearly every state in the Union the cry has been loud against unjust revenue laws, and steps are being taken to remedy the

"Various State Granges have, by their action, declared it wrong to leg-

MT VERNON SIGNAL The five countles named, which may islate into the organic laws of a state to the called urban countles, contain any provision which shall exempt 36.62 per cent of all the realty in the from taxation property aggregating

state and assess only 31 per cent of vast sums, in the possesion of the wealthy, and often kept by them invisible, thus leaving the small holdcounts and similar personalty, as- ings of the masses of people of modsessed by these counties, is less than erate means to bear the burden of "The present constitution of Ken-

tucky binds us to the general propper cent of the total. Manifestly, it erty tax-that is, to the system of is true that the man in the country levying the same tax upon all classes does not find it so easy to conceal his of property for all purposes. There personal property, and he has not the should be an amendment to our conncentive furnished by a high tax rate stitution which will allow the legisla In the county of Jefferson, contain nue-that is, to raise the state reveing the city of Louisville, personally nue from certain classes of property is 22.5 per cent of the total assess leaving other classes of property to

"It has been argued by some that 11.2 per cent of the total; in Camp- this would throw too much power into bell, with the city of Newport, it is the hands of the legislature Should 16 per cent. Fayette county, with such an amendment prevail, then Lexington, does better, its personalty would it devolve upon the voters of being 24 per cent of the total, but it the state to pay stricter attention to is well known that the rural portions the selection of their representatives of Fayette county contain an amount than has obtained in the past in both

"The Kentucky State Development association and other organizations have honored the Grange by placing upon its joint committee on taxation tative of the agricultural interests of the state, and it is important that the views and demands of the farmers be clearly defined at this state session tion in favor of just and equitable revenue laws, and for the establishment of an official tax commission, to be composed of five members-four representing respectively the great industries, agriculture, manufacturing mining and commerce, and a fifth member, noted for the highest integ rity and for superior legal ability.

TAX CONFERENCE

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12, a national conference of the Na it will, in addition, 5 attended by country. The discussions will take a wide range, covering every phase of the question of taxation.

Such a gathering as that which is to pays only about 47 per cent. Of the mation on the subject of methods of state revenue collected by the sheriffs taxation and is bound to stimulate of the state from assessor's lists; 431/2 still further the interest in this reform. Governor Beckham has ap pointed three gentlemen to represent the state of Kentucky. It is very much to be hoped that they will attend, a other personalty. It is time the Ken. Kentucky has as great an interest as very much greater interest than some other states that have made more ter tax system.

The Proposed Reforms. The purpose of the conferences are

thus announced: To secure an authoritative and an of 10 per cent. This is in contrast exhaustive discussion of the subject of state and local taxation in all of its details.

To produce a volume of proceedings containing the best thought of those who, by reason of their special educa tional training and practical experi ence, are qualified to speak with au thority upon the special branch of the subject they may elect to discuss.

To furnish to the members of the legislatures of the several states a concrete, up-to-date statement of the economic and business principles that should be applied in state and local tax legislation, to be used as a guide for their action when considering proposals to improve the tax laws of their respective states and in the adminis-

tration of the same. By this means to secure the applica tion of correct economic and business principles in all tax legislation, and thus develop a high degree of uniformity in the tax laws of the several

By securing uniformity in state tax laws, to eliminate the evil of changes in legal residence and in the location Grange, in discussing a proposition to of business undertakings induced by differences in state tax laws, and to create conditions of high value in aid Davis. of the effective and economical man agement of the financial affairs of all

state and local governments. The following partial list of papers and their authors shows that the dis cussions at this conference of the many branches of the subject of state and local taxation will command the attention of the intelligent public throughout the country:

The Topics Proposed. "Separation of State and Local Rev ennes." By Professor Edwin R. A Seligman, Columbia university, New

"Separation of State and Local Revenues." By Professor T. S. Adams, Wisconsin university, Madison, Wis. "Taxation of Public Service Corporations." By Carl C. Plehn, profes sor of finance and statistics, Univers ity of California, Berkeley, Cal.; expert on taxation and public finance. state of California commission on revenue and taxation.

"Taxation of Public Service Corporations." By Professor Adam Shortt, Queens university, Kingston, Ontario; member of tax commission, province of Ontario. "Outline of a Model System of State

and Local Taxation." By Lawson Purdy, president of board of taxes and assessment, New York city.
"Home Rule in Taxation." By Solo-

mon Wolff, member of Louisiana state tax commission, New Orleans, La. "Enoch Ensley's Contribution to Taxation Literature." By M. E. Ingalls, chairman executive committee, C., C., C. & St. L. Railroad company,

"Incidence of Taxation." By A. C. Pleydell, secretary of New York Tax Reform association, New York city.

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"Substitutes for Personal Property By Harry G. Friedman, New

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"The Economical and Statistical Value of Uniform State Laws on the Subject of State and Local Taxation." By L. G. Powers, chief statistician of bureau of the census, Washington,

"Methods of Assessment, as Applied to Several Classes of Subjects. By James E. Boyle, professor of ecoomics and political science, State Iniversity of North Dakota, Grand Forks. N. D

"Taxation of Incomes." By Charles Lee Raper, professor of political econ my, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

"Unit Rule." By William O. Mathews, attorney of Ohio Tax league Cleveland, O.

"The Single Tax." By C. B Fillerown, president of the Massachusetts Single Tax league, Boston, Mass. "Relation of Taxation to the Credit System." E. W. G. Langworthy Tay or, professor political economy and commerce, University of Nebraska. Lincoln, Nei

"Taxation of Money and Credits." By Frank G. Pierce, secretary of the League of Iowa Municipalities, Marshalltown, Ia.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. C. C. Davis visited friends in Corbin this week.

Ab Sparks moved into the Dr Myers property yesterday, U. G. Baker went to Louisville

Tuesday to buy more goods. George Owens, the tombstone man, is able to be out again after

a week's Illness. Mrs. G. T. Johnson and little son, Bill, visited the family of W. I. Dooley at Withers.

Mrs. J, W. Brown and son. Conn, and Miss Reca Baker, were in Louisville a few days this week.

Miss Jennie Davis, one of our splendid compositors has been very date one, the embankment facing sick since Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Brown, of Pittsburg, visited the former's parents at Level Green the last of the walk which had long since been a

Dr. H V Pennington was down from London Monday to see Mrs. Clarence Furguson, in consultation with Dr. Baugh.

Mr. Jasper Rickels was able to be hauled down to his daughter's, Mrs. W. T. Davis, where he spent a few days. He is very feeble.

Born to the wife of Gus Staverson a fine boy. The babe is doing well but the mother was in a very critical condition for several days. She is better at this time.

Dr. Walker Owens was here Tuesday, we understand for the purpose of buying the stock of goods of the late J. W. Renner, which he will consolidate with his already large stock.

word vesterday that his brother The post office building was saved at Elizabethtown would have to go The L. & N. depot barely escaped. to Louisville and be operated on Hotel Corbin, the First Nationa at once. Mr. Landrum will likely Bank and a cafe, all brick, were go down and be present at the oper badly damaged. The loss is esti

tonvi.le, Casey county, is visiting building this morning. The sa her sister, Mrs. S. C. Davis She loous have one more month to run was accompanied here by her The origin of the fire is unknown. grand daughter, Miss Flonnie Hammond, of Hubble. Mrs. Mc- EDITOR SIGNAL:-Clure is 71 years of age, but enjoys good health and has the appearance chronicle the death of Mrs Mahala of one of 50.

E. R. Davidson, special agent for Turner, Day and Woolsworth Handle Co, was here Tuesday in ley; was born in Rockcastle counconsultation with the local repre- tv, Ky., Oct. 24th 1856; died Oct. sentative, Mr. L. T. Welch. Mr. 21st 1907; been married 34 year Davidson's instructions to Mr. and is the mother of nine children Welch were of that character to six boys and three girls, all living indicate that the recent money trouble is anything but settled. The Bright's disease and stomach Turner, Day & Woolsworth Co., is trouble. She had been a member the biggest thing of the kind in the of the Church of Christ for 36

LOCAL

\$3 00 to \$3 50 per barrel.

Mullins, died at his father's home the time for two years. near Piue Hill, after an illness of several weeks.

eral feed store at Livingston. He Be obedient to God's will and be was in Crab Orchard Monday buy- prepared to meet your mother in ing a car load of hay and corn.

Read Carmical's ad on last page. You want fresh groceries, meats, etc., and it will certainly pay to keep posted on Carmical's line.

FOR SALE: - My house and lot on Old Main street, back of court- ployer. He acquires an underhouse. Four rooms, with good standing of things around him, and W. T. Davis.

The discussion of the tax prob- work anywhere at any time. lem, one of the greatest questions A new place is as comfortable best for the delegates, and will crop off the right ear. Been gone now confronting Kentuckians, for him as an old one, and a change leave a good margin for those who about two weeks. Liberal reward found on the second page of th's in position does materially lessen do not care to rush, home at the for his return or information lead issue, is well worth the time and his usefulness. New management, close of the convention. Under ing to his recovery. Address, attention of every citizen. Don't new systems new methods are bar- this dispensation of the railroads fail to read the same.

J. L. Moyers sold his property on Richmond street, Known as the 'Granny" McFerron property, to W M. Smith for \$1000 Mr Moyers had already sold off one lot for \$225

We are under many obligations o our good friend, Mr. G. E Painter, for a jar of his splendid molas ses which he so graciously presented to us a few days since. Mr. Painter certainly holds the blue for good sorghum molasses and no one can come nearer doing his whole duty to a good sized quantity of old fashioned sorghum, than ye editor.

PAY CAR RUNS:-The report has been current for several days that the L. & N. would not run the pay car as usual this month. This report is untrue and we have it direct from the treasurer of the company, that the car will run this month and every other month in the future, just as it always has in the past The only difference, it will be five or six days late this

One would hardly recognize the property on West Main, known as the Carter property, since the improvements which the new owners Dr. Lovell, Judge Bethurum and Cashier Salin have made. The old fence has been torn away and supplied with a new and more up-to the street and almost hiding the residence, from the West side, has all been graded down, and the sidehorror to travelers, has been widened from about three or four feet to seven. Upon the whole, we know of no improvement which has added to the looks of the town more than this one, and we desire to commend these three gentlemen for the spirit of improving which they have thus manifested. Would that others may profit by their good example.

A Corbin, Ky., dispatch of last Friday's date says:-Fire broke out at midnight in Griffin & Cook's saloon on Florence avenue and swept the street in both directions, burning every building from the Center street corner to the Wilbur Hotel. Nine saloons in this row, two residences, dry goods store jewelry shop, four restaurants, and Mr. J. A Landrum received three barber shops were burned mated at \$100,000. Griffin & Mrs. Mahala McClure, of Min- Cook began the erection of a new

Santo, Texas, Nov. 6, 1907

It is with a sad heart that Jane Chestnut, wife of T. F. Ches

She was a daughter of Colby H.

Her sickness was brought on by years, and died in full assurance of a reward in heaven. All was done for her that loving hands, with the aid of fairly good doctors could do, Corn is very much in demand at but we had to submit to Him who this time. Prices ranging from doeth all things well. She had been in bad health for four years, Wallace Mullins son of Bright and confined to her bed most all

We weep not as those who have no hope; fully believing we will meet again in the sweet bye and J. M. Foure is putting up a gen- bye To her children I would say: a better world where parting will be no more.

Written by her son-in-law. W. M. TAYLOR.

THE MAN WHO FITS IN makes himself most valuable to his emadapts himself to all circumstances.

next Monday.

The railroad company has begun outting in the curbing for side walks on their property.

Cold weather with be here before you know it. Have you done your buying? Are you prepared for cold weather? If you have not, hurry up; hurry to our store and get choice of the big stock. We have been rushed for days waiting on the crowds, but have plenty of help to wait on all who come. Don't delay. Don't put it off. Come and see our.

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will die. The water must be of a certain density, or the oyster canot survive. A giraffe, crouched the catacombs of Rome, would e a sorry spectacle.

Do not be an oyster or a giraffe. Learn rather to adapt yourself to ondition.

The kind of a man who gets the est job is the one with an amoe oid disposition. His adaptability s his stock in trade, and his chief asset in his power to mingle. Meet your fellow-employes on

he same ground. Spurn familiarty but in a dignified way, be a genuine mixer.

Be useful everywhere -be a man whofits in. - Louisville Times.

In order that the Sixth State Development Convention may not ack entertainment features of a ighter variety, a banquet will be given on the night of Thursday November 21, the last night of the neeting. This will be tendered by the citizens of Louisville to the delegates, and it is promised that no more attractive entertainment could be offered than the one under process of preparation.

The banquet will be given in the large dining room of the Galt House, the meeting place of the convention, and besides excellent food, a programme of special attractiveness is under discussion. All possible provision for the comfort and pleasure of the guests will

Another evning session of the guished gatherings, and are famed their readers. for their informality, and the pleas ure they give.

This arrangement, made by W. He can take off his coat and go to A. Russell, chairman of the Trans- streak up fore-head, will weigh portation Committee, is considered about 115 pounds, bob tailed and riers easily over-ridden by the man all Kentuckiaus interested in the nov-8-3t.

Take the oyster away from the Louisville during the convention as public autory, on Saturday Nov. 16 spot of its nativity, change its envi- de egates or otherwise, and lend a 1907 all the household-goods kit-

> The convention will be held at the Galt House, and it is said that Nov.-1-3t. the programme that has been prepared is the best ever gotten together for a similar meeting.

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well in a bottle, and take in tea-full extent of the law: spoonful doses after meals and at B. F. Purcell.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one- J. W. Marler, half ounce; Compound Kargon, one John Leece, ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsapa- Nancy Smith, rılla, three ounces. A local drug- George Burton, gist is the authority that these sim- Alice Moore, ple, harmless ingredients can be ob- J. C. Gibbs. tained at nominal cost from our J. R. Brock. home druggists.

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positively overcomes pain in the was found in his office reading back, clears the urine of sediment mail. Bootblacks were put out of and regulates urination, especially business. Only soda fountains and at night, curing even the worst cigar stands were allowed to reform of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a bealthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for any persons.

The Scranton (Pa.) Times was convention will be devoted to a re- first to print this remarkable preception by the members of the scription, in October, of 1906, since Louisville Commercial Club to the when all the leading newspapers of delegates. Receptions by that New York, Boston, Philadelphia, organization have been tendered Pittsburg and other cities have many times in the past to distin- made many announcements of it to

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This is the 318 day of the year. This morning Mercury will be in transit across the sun's disk, begit ing before sunrise and making his xternal contact at egress at 8:51 m. This transit nearly coinsides with the trine aspect with Saturn and the quartile of Mercury with Mars. The whole earth is affected looked for. In addition the peace of the United Kingdom is threatened. There will be serious d'e turbance on the continent and in a Southern British colony.

Mercury and Uranus are in benefic aspect with the moon, which is nine days old. The conjuction is highly favorable for journeys beun or consumated on this day.

A most auspicious day to seek he advice of scientist, particularly en learned in chemistry, electricy and astronomy. Advice of value will be obtained.

Those whose birth date this is vill change or travel. Men will have e good business year if they avoid the menace of quarrel. Woen must beware of accident in lighting from vehicles. Young viddows will get offers of marriage The girl born to day will be very nick and learn almost anything. The forecast is that she will marry an elderly widower and live happy

vith him. The boy born to-day will behighfortunate in business, and will lso hold a high and profitable pub-

"Among things that will be re nembered in connection with the ate campaign is when Taft came to Lexington to defend Roosevelt for his adoption of Dem ocratic ideas it was not convenient or Mr. Wilson to be there, but when Vice President Fairbanis came ta Kentuciy to represent po tical shams and trusts, Mr. Wil on chaperoned him across the State, remaris the sagacious Somerset Journal." Early in the ac tion the State Journal saw the rend of sentiment of the leaders and told the Louisville Post and Marshal Bullitt that they were gnawing a file in urgin Taft for the Presidency. He hasn't a chance on his life to get the vote of Kentueky. It has been promised to the iceburg of Indian and he has es good as got it in his inside pock et .- State Journal.

A SIGNIEICANT PRAYER. "May the Lord help you mak Bucklen's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. G. Jenksns, o' Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time." Best on earth for sores ourns and wounds. 25c. at Cha-C. Davis drug store.

Besides all the arrangements that have been made for the benefit intellectually and physically for the delegates to the Sixth Kentucky State Development Convention, all railroads in Kentucky have agreed upon rates of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be on on application. sale November 17, 18 and 19, and will be good returning until Nov.

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